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St. James's, November 24.

THE following humble Addreſs of the Council and the General Aſſembly of the Bermuda or Summer-Iſlands in America, has been preſented to His Majeſty by Colonel Hope, late Lieutenant Governour of the ſaid Iſlands, introduced by his Grace the Duke of Newcaſtle one of His Majeſty's Principal Secretaries of State. Which Addreſs His Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

AMONG the many faithful Subjects that ſurround your Majeſty's Throne, permit us to join our humble Voices in condoling the Loſs of your Royal Father of Bleſſed Memory; which Loſs muſt cauſe great Concern, and can only be made up by the Succeſſion of a Prince who inherits his Father's Virtues as well as his Crown.

'Tis natural for all Men to ſtudy their own Happineſs: This we effectually do when we Congratulate your Majeſty's Succeſſion to the Throne of your Anceſtors; for we have no Room to doubt of the Continuance of that Care, ſo eminent in your Royal Father, in ſecuring to us and our Poſterity our Religious and Civil Rights, which are the greateſt Bleſſings of a People,

As we doubt not of the Continuance of our Happineſs under your auſpicious Adminiſtration, ſo we take this firſt Opportunity (by his Excellency John Hope, Eſq; your Majeſty's Lieutenant-Governour of theſe Iſlands,) of expreſſing our Joy and Satisfaction, and of aſſuring your Majeſty, that we ſhall take all Occaſions of diſtinguiſhing ourſelves to the utmoſt of our Powers,

May it pleaſe your Majeſty,

Your Majeſty's moſt faithful and moſt obedient Subjects and Servants.

Bermuda alias Summer-Iſlands,
October 5, 1727.

The following humble Addreſs of the Lieutenant-Governour, Merchants, Commanders of Ships, Principal Planters and Inhabitants of Placentia in Newfoundland, having been tranſmitted to his Grace the Duke of Newcaſtle one of His Majeſty's Principal Secretaries of State, has by him been preſented to His Majeſty, who was pleaſed to receive it very graciouſly.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

WE your Majeſty's moſt loyal and dutiful Subjects, beg Leave with all Humility to condole with your Majeſty the Death of our late moſt gracious Sovereign your Majeſty's Royal Father, of glorious Memory; the Knowledge whereof having reached us but very lately, did affect us with the deepeſt Sorrow, and had left us inconſolable, if the Divine Providence had not interpoſed in your Majeſty's peaceable Acceſſion to the Throne of your Royal Anceſtors.

Permit us, Great Sir, to congratulate your Majeſty on this Occaſion; and after paying our Tribute of Thanks to the Almighty God for ſo valuable a Bleſſing, to aſſure your Majeſty of our utmoſt Zeal Duty and Affection towards your Majeſty's Perſon and Government, the Queen's moſt Excellent Majeſty your Royal Conſort, and hopeful Royal Iſſue.

May your Majeſty's Reign be laſting and proſperous, and that there may be never wanting a Succeſſour of your auguſt Family to fill the Britiſh Throne, ſhall be the daily and fervent Prayers of,

May it pleaſe your Majeſty,

Your Majeſty's moſt loyal, moſt faithful and obedient Subjects and Servants.

Fort Frederic, Sept. 23, 1727.

Lisbon, Nov. 13, *N. S.* The 8th Inſtant was ſeen paſſing by the Mouth of our River the Squadron of His Britannick Majeſty's Ships of War commanded by Sir George Walton, making for Gibraltar with a fair Wind.

Whitehall, November 25.

His Majeſty has been pleaſed to appoint the Right Honourable Henry Earl of Bradford to be Lord Lieutenant and Cuſtos Rotulorum of the County of Salop, and Cuſtos Rotulorum of the County of Montgomery.

Edward Barker, Eſq; to be Receiver of the Revenues of the Firſt-Fruits and Tenths in England, Wales, and Town of Berwick.

Members choſen for the enſuing Parliament.

City of London. Sir John Eyles, Bart. Humphry Parſons, John Barnard, and Micajah Perry, Eſqrs.